**KINGSTON CITY COUNCIL**

**KINGSTON, GEORGIA**

**COUNCIL MEETING**

**April 16, 2018**

The meeting began at 6:07 p.m. In attendance was Mayor Elbert “Chuck” Wise, council members, Louise Harris-Young, Payton Silvers, Harold Posey and Louise Howell, attorney Brandon Bowen and John Sweitzer. There were 12 attendees.

The meeting began with Mayor Chuck Wise leading the invocation. The Pledge of Allegiance followed.

**SIGN IN PERMISSION TO SPEAK**

Valerie Gilreath spoke regarding Georgia Department of Economic Development Tourism Product Development Resource Team Grant. The City should apply for a grant for historic signage through town.

Roxie Pritchett spoke regarding the new LED lights on Cemetery St., they are not working.

**APPROVAL OF PREVIOUS MINUTES**

Harold Posey made a motion to approve previous minutes. The motion was seconded by Louise Young-Harris. Motion was carried unanimously.

**APPROVAL OF AGENDA**

Louise Howell made a motion to approve the agenda. The motion was seconded by Harold Posey. Motion was carried unanimously.

**APPROVAL OF BUDGET AMENDMENT FOR FISCAL YEAR 2017**

Louise Young-Harris made a motion to approve the Budget Amendment for fiscal year 2017. The motion was seconded by Payton Silvers. Motion was carried unanimously.

**RESULTS OF EPD COMPLIANCE AUDIT**

City Clerk presented the results for the EPD Audit stating the City’s water system had no significant deficiencies, the system has met all permit conditions since the last sanitary survey, the system has not received any Monitoring/Reporting or MCL (Maximum Contaminant Level) violations during the last three (3) years, and the system does not have any significant deficiencies. Also, there are a few housekeeping items the City Maintenance crew are to improve and work on for another Audit Review by May 15th.

**APPROVAL OF PLANNING AND ZONING COMMISSION RESOLUTION**

Louise Young-Harris made a motion to approve the Planning and Zoning Commission Resolution. Payton Silvers seconded the motion. Motion was carried unanimously.

**APPROVAL OF TRUCK ROUTE ORDINANCE**

Payton Silvers made a motion to approve the Truck Route Ordinance. Louise Howell seconded the motion. Motion was carried unanimously.

**COUNCIL COMMENTS**

Louise Howell, Payton Silvers and Louise Young-Harris thanked everyone for coming. Mayor Wise thanked Valerie Gilreath for her help with Grants for the City and thanked everyone that has a part in Kingston.

**ADJOURNMENT**

Payton Silvers made a motion to adjourn at 6:40 p.m. Louise Young-Harris seconded the motion. Motion was carried unanimously.

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Mayor Elbert “Chuck” Wise, Jr. City Clerk, Kelly L. Ensley